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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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AMETEK 03.03

In Re Application Of: **PARK**

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Invention: **THERMOCOUPLE JUNCTION BOX WITH ISOLATED STUDS**

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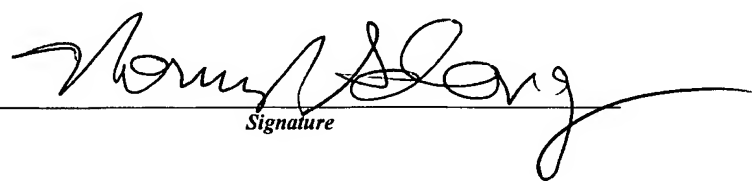
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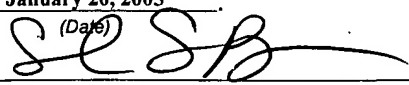
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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Dear Sir:

In connection with the above-entitled matter, Applicant wishes to bring to the attention of the Patent Office additional prior art received in connection with a Search of Applicant's corresponding PCT application. Attached is U.S. Patent Office Form PTO-1449, and a copy of the Search Report and Written Opinion. The references are already of record in this case. Thus, additional copies are not being provided. The claims in the present application are believed to be patentably distinguished over these references.

This information Disclosure Statement is being made pursuant to the duty of disclosure imposed by law and formulated in 37 CFR 1.56(A). No representation is made that the information thus disclosed in fact constitute prior art or that it is the closest prior art, inasmuch as 37 CFR 1.56(A) relies on a materiality concept which depends on subjectivity.

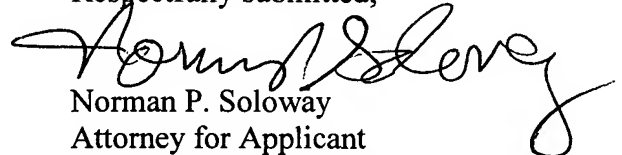
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In compliance with the requirements of 37 CFR § 1.98(a)(3), as a concise statement of relevance, as it is presently understood by the individual designated in 35 U.S.C. § 1.56(c) most knowledgeable about the content of the information, the undersigned attorney of record submits copies of the PCT Search Report and Written Opinion by a PCT Examiner in which the references were cited. The relevance to the pending U.S. patent application is that the references were cited in a PCT patent application on the same subject matter. However, no independent analysis of the reference, the accuracy of the statement of PCT Examiner or the claims of the PCT Application under the laws of the country or the United States relative to the subject matter claimed in the present application has been made; the present understanding of the contents thereof by the undersigned being based on the PCT Examiner's comments submitted therewith.

The enclosed Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted within three months of receipt of the International Search Report and Written Opinion, as certified in the attached Certification for Information Disclosure Statement. Therefore, we believe there are no fees involved with this prior art disclosure statement. However, in the event there are any fees payable, please charge them to our Deposit Account No. 08-1391.

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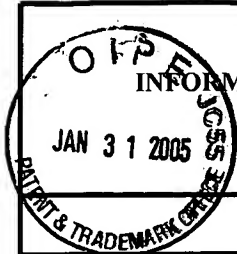
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